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## PRESIDENT WILSON WILL ARRIVE AT BREST FRIDAY MORNING CHANGE IN VESSEL'S COURSE MAKES SEVERAL HOURS GAIN

Will Leave Brest for Paris at Four O'clock Friday Afternoon

American Journalists Who Left in Advance Asked to Remain on Vessel Until President Arrives

Message Reaches Journalists Too Late as They Are Now in Paris

(By Associated Press)

Brest, France, December 11.—The United States Steamship George Washington with President Wilson and party aboard changed its course after leaving the Azores and will arrive in Brest in advance of the time announced, according to a naval wireless dispatch today.

The President now is expected to reach Brest at 10 Friday morning instead of 3 o'clock in the afternoon. He will leave for Paris at four o'clock in the afternoon.

A wireless message from the George Washington today asked that the American journalists who were on the U. S. steamer Orizaba which left New York in advance of the George Washington remain on board that vessel until after the landing of the President. However the Orizaba reached Brest yesterday and the entire party of newspaper men landed and went to Paris last night.

### HUNS ASK BOLSHIEVIKI TO STAY OUT

German Cabinet Sends Wireless to Russia Asking Delegates Not to Come

(By Associated Press)

Berlin, December 11.—The German cabinet has sent a wireless message to the Russian government, asking it not to send a delegation to Berlin for a conference planned for December 16. The reason given was the "present situation in Germany."

The Russian Bolshevik delegates were invited by the executive committee of Soldiers' and Workmen's council against the wishes of the cabinet.

The opposition of the cabinet has been strengthened beyond doubt by accusations made by Adolph Joffe, the Bolshevik Ambassador to Germany who has made a statement saying that Ministers Haase, Barth and others were friendly toward him and actively seconded his plan to introduce Russian methods into Germany.

### WOUNDED AVIATORS FROM 'OVER THERE'



Lieutenant H. Baldwin (left) and Lieutenant J. Straley, two wounded American aviators, who returned aboard the transport Lapland. Both men were wounded while flying with the American Aviation Corps, and were recuperating in England when the war ended.

### "FREEDOM OF SEAS" PROPOSAL NO BAR

British May Still Retain Navy Power and Sea Rights Without Interference With President's Proposal

(By Associated Press)

London, December 11.—As a result of informal conversation regarding President Wilson's freedom of the seas proposals, the British government now is in possession of concrete suggestions which are more understandable than the free seas clause in Mr. Wilson's 14 points, according to the Express.

President Wilson, the newspaper says, has information showing definitely that Great Britain cannot surrender the right of search, the contraband law and the right to enforce blockade.

It is understood that Mr. Wilson's proposals do not include the abandonment of any of these rights and that they are generally in no wise antagonistic to British interests as had been supposed.

#### BALLOONS CAUSE DARKNESS.

Oberlin, Ohio, December 11.—(Associated Press)—Three runaway balloons, which escaped from aeronautical station, near Akron, were forced to earth by the wind last night, and becoming entangled in overhead cables short-circuited the electric current, plunging the city in darkness.

### CAN'T SELL LIQUOR TO SOLDIERS IN UNIFORMS

Order Issued by State Board Today at Request of U. S. Officials

(By Associated Press)

Columbus, O., December 11.—Ohio saloon keepers who sell liquor to soldiers in uniform regardless of whether they have been discharged or not, will lose their licenses.

An order to this effect was issued today by the State Liquor Licensing Board at the request of federal authorities whose authority over a soldier in uniform ceases after he has been discharged.

They represented to Governor Cox that by reason of the demobilization system now in effect discharged soldiers were lending their papers to soldiers not discharged by which the latter were able to obtain liquor.

The state board this afternoon sent copies of the order to every county licensing board in the state.

### FIXED PRICE OFF

(By Associated Press)

Washington, December 11.—Government supervision over the steel industry and steel price fixing will end December 31st. The War Industries Board so announced today after a conference with spokesmen of the industry.

### COTTON CROPS BELOW FORECAST BUT ENORMOUS

(By Associated Press)

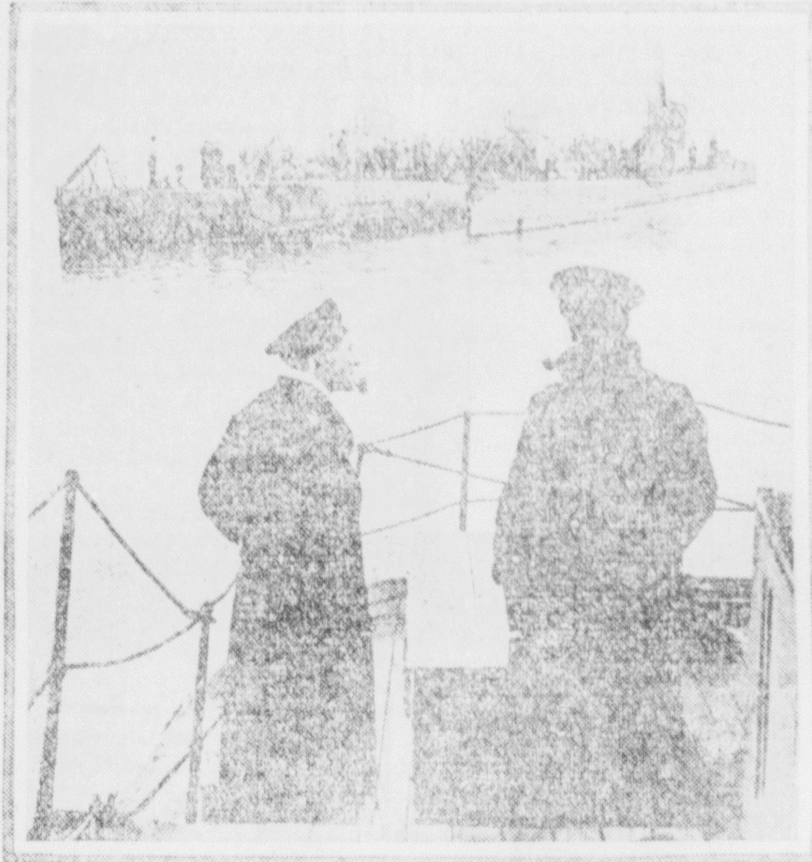
Washington, December 11.—With an estimate of 11,700,000 bales, each of 500 pounds gross weight, as this year's cotton crop, the Department of Agriculture's final figures today are 118,000 bales less than the forecast from the condition of the crop September 25. This year's crop, however, is larger than any since 1917. The acreage this year was large, but in August the crop suffered more than in any month in the history of American cotton growing.

### GERMAN REPUBLIC TROOPS TAKE OATH

(By Associated Press)

Copenhagen, December 11.—Representatives of the troops which are to guard Berlin took an oath in the town hall at Steglitz swearing absolute loyalty to the German people's republic. Independent socialists, according to advices reaching here, exhorted the soldiers to disarm but they refused.

### SURRENDER OF GERMAN U-BOATS



Remarkable photograph showing three of the huge fleet of U-boats which surrendered to the Allies on November 20. The photo was made immediately after the formal surrender had been made, and the vessels are waiting to be escorted into Harwich, England. This is one of the first photos to arrive in this country picturing this historical event.

### BILLIONS IN CROP TOTAL

(By Associated Press)

Washington, December 11.—Final estimates of production of the country's principal crops announced today by the Department of Agriculture placed the corn crop at 2,582,814,400 bushels and the wheat crop at 917,100,000 bushels.

The total value of the nation's principal crops this year is estimated at \$12,272,412,000 compared with \$11,658,032,000 last year, basing their value on the prices paid to producers December 1st.

### RHINE SHIPPING UNDER CONTROL OF THE ALLIES

(By Associated Press)

Amsterdam, December 11.—Discussion over the prolongation of the armistice between the allies and Germany will begin at Treves, according to the North German Gazette. All shipping on the Rhine now is under control of an inter-allied commission.

#### PRaise RAINBOW DIVISION

(By Associated Press)

Amsterdam, December 11.—(By The Associated Press).—Rhenish newspapers, received here, contain a dispatch describing the passage of the Forty-second (Rainbow) American Division toward Coblenz. It says the Americans were very courteous. They only demanded the surrender of arms, not otherwise interfering with the citizens. The newspapers already has departed from Camagney.

### QUITS THE ARMY FOR PRIVATE LIFE



Colonel Henry L. Stimson.

Colonel Henry L. Stimson, who was Secretary of War under President Taft, will resign from command of the Thirty-first Field Artillery at Camp Meade and return to his law office in New York, according to a report from Camp Meade. The Colonel has applied for his discharge and will leave camp early next week. Colonel Stimson had the distinction of commanding the battery which fired the first shell from the National Army into the German lines.

### SHIP CONTRACTS ARE CANCELLED

(By Associated Press)

Washington, December 11.—Cancellation of all outstanding contracts for construction of wooden ships where builders have not spent more than \$200,000 on a ship, has been determined upon by the Shipping Board. This applies to yards on the various coasts.

Contracts for 160 ships of this type were suspended recently and many of these are affected by the decision, though officials of the board would not attempt today to estimate the number.

### FOCH HOLDS BLOCKADES TO GERMANY NECESSARY

Request of German Armistice Delegates to Communicate West of Rhine Refused

(By Associated Press)

Paris, December 11.—(Havas) — Marshal Foch has refused the request of the German armistice delegates that they be permitted to communicate with the provinces west of the Rhine river now being occupied by the allies. The commander-in-chief declared that it was necessary to maintain the blockade of Germany as provided by the armistice.

### CALAMARES WITH TROOPS IS IN PORT

Delayed Four Days by Heavy Weather The Liner Reaches Quarantine

(By Associated Press)

New York, December 11.—Four days overdue because of heavy weather, the United States transport Calamares, carrying 14 officers and 1472 men, all navy personnel, reached quarantine early today.

Another transport, the Guantamano, also arrived here today together with the Tienadores, an American vessel one day overdue, with 882 troops and 149 civilians, including welfare workers and 506 sacks of mail, and the British transport Ascancia, with 1441 officer and men.

### VETERAN DEAD

(By Associated Press)

Chillicothe, December 11.—Major Charles T. Mason, who was a member of the staff of General Robert E. Lee, of the Confederacy, died here this afternoon. He was a retired farmer and had accumulated a small fortune.

### GERMANS QUITTING

(By Associated Press)

Washington, December 11.—Official advices today through neutral sources said that the German army of occupation was leaving Finland, and that five German steamers held heretofore at Petrograd would be used to transport the soldiers home. A report from Helsingfors said a Saxon regiment stationed there and a regiment of Uhlans at Viborg already had embarked for Germany.



## REPAIR WORK

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## THE OLD RELIABLE STILL IN THE LEAD

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## ACTION FILED TO SET ASIDE WILL OF ARMILDA JOHNSON

Plaintiffs Claim Purported Will of Late Mrs. Armilda Johnson is Not Last One Made.

Large Estate Involved in Legal Tangle.

Action has been filed in the Fayette County Court of Common Pleas to set aside the purported last will and testament of the late Mrs. Armilda Mallow Johnson on the grounds that the instrument is not her last will and testament, and that property involved in the instrument could not be disposed of by the testator.

The plaintiffs are: Lewis C. Mallow, Alma M. Rothrock, Otis B. Mallow, Jesse B. Mallow, Edward H. Mallow and Lida M. Darby, against D. Newton Hyer, Geo. Hyer, Fred Hyer, Susan C. Leffingwell, Mary McAdams, Elizabeth Stookey, Elmer Duey, Chas. E. Duey, Laura Patrick Mattie James, Eva Duey Roland Milton Duey, Chas. Grimes as Executor of the estate of Julia E. Hyer, deceased; John A. Coyner as surviving executor and

trustee under the purported last will and testament of Armilda Mallow Johnson, deceased; The M. E. Children's Home at Worthington, Ohio; Oak Chapel, M. E. Church in Marion township; Brethren Church of Fairview; Otterbein M. E. Church, Austin M. E. Church, Home Missionary Board of the M. E. Church, Foreign Board of the M. E. Church, Jennie Crosby, C. C. Rittenhouse, Jennie Hall, Harry Hall, Chas. C. Hazzard, Emma Mickle The Chillicothe Hospital, Emily A. Rowe, Catherine Thompson, John Johnson, Jane Vierehoma Ella Kouns, John T. Mantle, James Smith, Emma Price, Laura C. Shoop, Frank Campbell, Jesse Campbell, John Campbell, Harry Campbell, Clarence Campbell, Erk L. Parrett, Roy H. Parrett, Hal-He Durnell, Laura York, Ethel Goen, Stella Parrott, and Mary Campbell, a person of unsound mind.

The plaintiffs are represented by Attorneys John Logan, of this city, and Peter J. Blosser, of Chillicothe, and the estate involved consists of several hundred acres, chiefly in Fayette county.

Plaintiffs claim that on November 26, 1917 Armilda Johnson sister of plaintiff, Lewis C. Mallow and aunt of other plaintiffs, died and that a paper writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of the deceased, was filed, Julia A. Hyer and John A. Coyner being named executors of the document; that on May 2, 1918 Julia E. Hyer died leaving a will and naming Chas. Grimes the executor.

Certain of the defendants were named devisees in the will of Mrs. Johnson, and certain of the defendants were devisees under the will of Miss Hyer, and it is charged, claim to be entitled to benefits of provisions of the purported will of Mrs. Johnson.

It is further claimed that the paper writing purporting to be Mrs. Johnson's last will is not the last will, and that parts of the estate and property purporting to be disposed of by Mrs. Johnson came to her by virtue of statutes for decent and distribution of intestate estates from her husband, Jesse Johnson, who died in December 1896; that certain defendants are next of kin and heirs at law of the estate of which Jesse Johnson died seized.

The court is asked to decide if the will is the last one made by Mrs. Johnson, and to set it aside, as well as for all other proper relief.

## JURY FAILS TO REACH DECISION

The jury in the case of Frank M. Pullerton against W. H. and Solomon Cunningham Tuesday evening disagreed and was dismissed from further consideration of the case.

The action was filed some 14 years ago and was for commission on certain lands which plaintiff claimed was sold for defendants. Since the action was filed, one of the plaintiffs, one of the parties to whom the land was sold, the attorney who filed the original action, and another man who was interested in the transaction, have died.

The plaintiff was represented in the trial of the case by Post and Reid and the defendant by Hidy and Sanderson. Judge Curtin, of Circleville, was on the bench.

## FOR CROUP, "FLU" AND "GRIP" COUGHS

M. T. Davis, leading merchant of Bearsville, W. Va., writes: "A few nights ago one of my patrons had a small child taken with croup about midnight. Came to my store and got Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. Before morning the child entirely recovered. Parents can't say enough for Foley's Honey and Tar." Blackmer & Tanquary, Adv.



# —STUTSON'S—

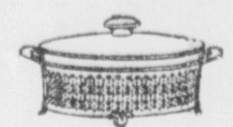
## The Christmas Store Complete

### Dinnerware

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No matter if it be one piece or the most elaborate set, you may be assured that SHE will be delighted with a gift of dinnerware. Many a man is wondering what he can give his wife that she will really like. We believe he can solve this problem very easily by a look through our Dinnerware Section. As every pattern is "open stock" you can buy as many pieces as you like. Some will start sets now to be completed later from time to time.






### Casseroles

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\$1.25



### Trays

These desirable trays are furnished in mahogany with removable glass bottoms. They can be had in two different styles and two different sizes. Priced at

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### Cedar Chests

Here are gifts that are well worth the name. The kind of gifts that "live" in the recipient's memory and which are valued as one of her treasured possessions. Their perfect construction renders them air-tight and dust-proof—a safe repository for fine gowns, blouses, linens, furs, woolens, etc. Besides, a cedar chest is a substantial piece of furniture and an ornament to the home. Some of them are specially adapted to window seats. All fitted with lock and key and roller or glide casters.

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### Suit Case or Bag

Makes a gift that will always win favor. As only useful gifts should be given, we suggest that you come in and examine these and see if you do not agree with us that these are ideal. In our display you will not just find two or three, but a large number to select from, both in bags and suit cases, either tan or black. Priced from—

\$3.00 to \$16.50

### Vacuum Cleaners for Gifts

Not only are these useful and in line with gift giving this year, but show the thoughtfulness of the giver. A demonstration of this wonderful Frantz-Premier machine will convince you there are none better. The improvements and good points of all other makes are combined in this model. Price without attachments—\$39.50 With attachments—\$49.50

### Carpet Sweepers for Gifts

Every year many people give one of these "Bissels Carpet Sweepers" which indeed are acceptable. Priced at each—\$4.25 to \$6.00 For those who do not have electricity we suggest a Bissels Vacuum Sweeper. You will be agreeably surprised at the wonderful work they do. Priced at—\$10.50 and \$12.50.

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## The Christmas Store

A large life-like doll; the kind that goes to sleep. Special .....\$1.00

A Child's Oak Rocker, well made; beautifully finished. Special .....97c

## PENNSY TRAINS ARE MODERNIZED

Patrons of the Pennsylvania Railroad have commented favorably of late on the splendid improvement of the trains and the service. Some months ago the four trains of the local division were equipped with larger and heavier locomotives, brought here from some other division. Hitched to the light, but well built trains of the division, they form a very excellent motive power, passengers say, and the trains are drawn along with an agility and promptness of schedule that is very commendable. The local trains now are fully vestibuled and with the new and bigger engines are first-class trains in every way. Their reputation for punctuality is very good locally, it is stated by those familiar with movement of trains.

## AMERICANIZED

(By Associated Press)

Vincennes, Indiana, December 11.—When the United States entered the war, John C. Wagner, a local jeweler, had a cuckoo clock, marked "made in Germany." After careful study of the situation he stopped the clock and began the process of "naturalizing" the little bird in the time piece. When he had completed the painstaking task, he started the clock again and called in his friends. At length, time came for the clock to "strike," the little bird quickly hopped out with a new vim and whistled "Bob White." Wagner has since been kept busy "naturalizing" cuckoo clocks.

## THE HOLE IN THE WALL

Is now open next door to Electric Shop. Tom Duffee the Shoe repair man. 290 13

W. R. C. INSPECTION  
The inspection of the Woman's Relief Corps will take place Thursday

afternoon at two o'clock. All members are urged to be present.  
SECRETARY.  
Chicken pie supper, Dec. 14th, at K. P. Hall, under auspices Willing Workers, McNair Memorial Church. Serving will begin at 4:30, price 45c

## RALPH STROUD IS SLIGHTLY WOUNDED

Wednesday's list of casualties contained the name of Ralph Stroud, son of Chas. Stroud, South Fayette street grocer, who is listed as being slightly wounded in action.

Private Stroud was a member of the 83rd Division, and some little time has elapsed since he had written his parents.

ATTENTION I. O. R. M.  
Regular meeting Wednesday eve, December the 11th 7:30 all members requested to be present. Business of importance.

W. I. Tayner, Sachem.  
R. M. Elliott, C. of R.

## DR. C. E. PAGE IS A LITTLE BETTER

Dr. C. E. Page, who fell unconscious and later developed convulsions, Monday night, is still in the Fayette hospital and shows some little improvement. His condition up to Tuesday noon was very grave, and is still serious.

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# WONDERLAND

## TONIGHT TOMORROW GERALDINE FARRAR

—in—

## Woman God Forgot

FRIDAY—FANNIE WARD in "ON THE LEVEL"  
NEXT WEEK  
TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY — MARGUERITE CLARK in "BAB'S DIARY"  
THURSDAY and FRIDAY—WILLIAM FARNUM in LES MISERABLES

## COLONIAL

TO-NIGHT—Last showing of Annette Kellerman in Queen of The Sea  
Thursday, Friday and Saturday—MABEL NORMAND in the super production JOAN of PLATTSBURG  
Next Week—EVELYN NESBIT THAW in "WHY I DID NOT MARRY"

# Public Sale!

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction on the farm, 1 mile south of Washington C. H., on the Greenfield pike, on

## Tuesday, Dec. 17, 1918

Beginning at 1 o'clock p. m., the following property:

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TERMS MADE KNOWN ON THE DAY OF SALE.

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TO-NIGHT
TO-NIGHT

# PALACE

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Ethel Clayton  
Muriel Ostriche  
John Bowers in

## Journey's End

A startling, interesting story of a young man and his charming wife who have become estranged and sign a peculiar legal document as the result of this estrangement. The complications arising from the signing of this document are delightfully entertaining.

Pathe News: See March of Yankee Soldiers into Germany

## Shows at

7:00 & 8:30

TOMORROW—Frank Keenan in "The Bells."

Official War Weekly.  
Matinee 2:15.

## Admission

10c & 15c

War tax included

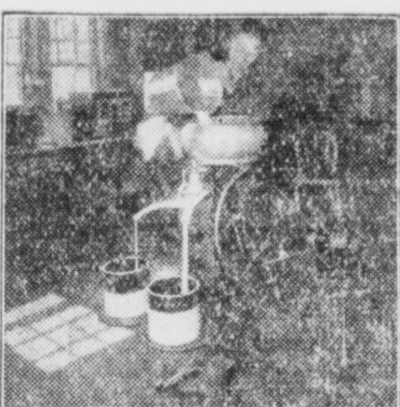


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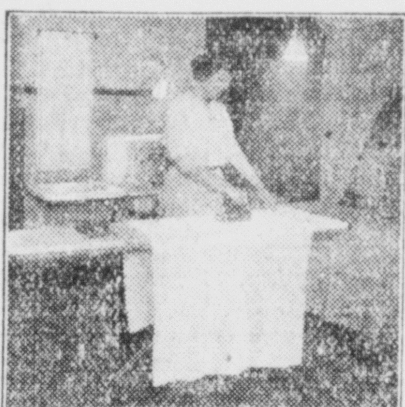
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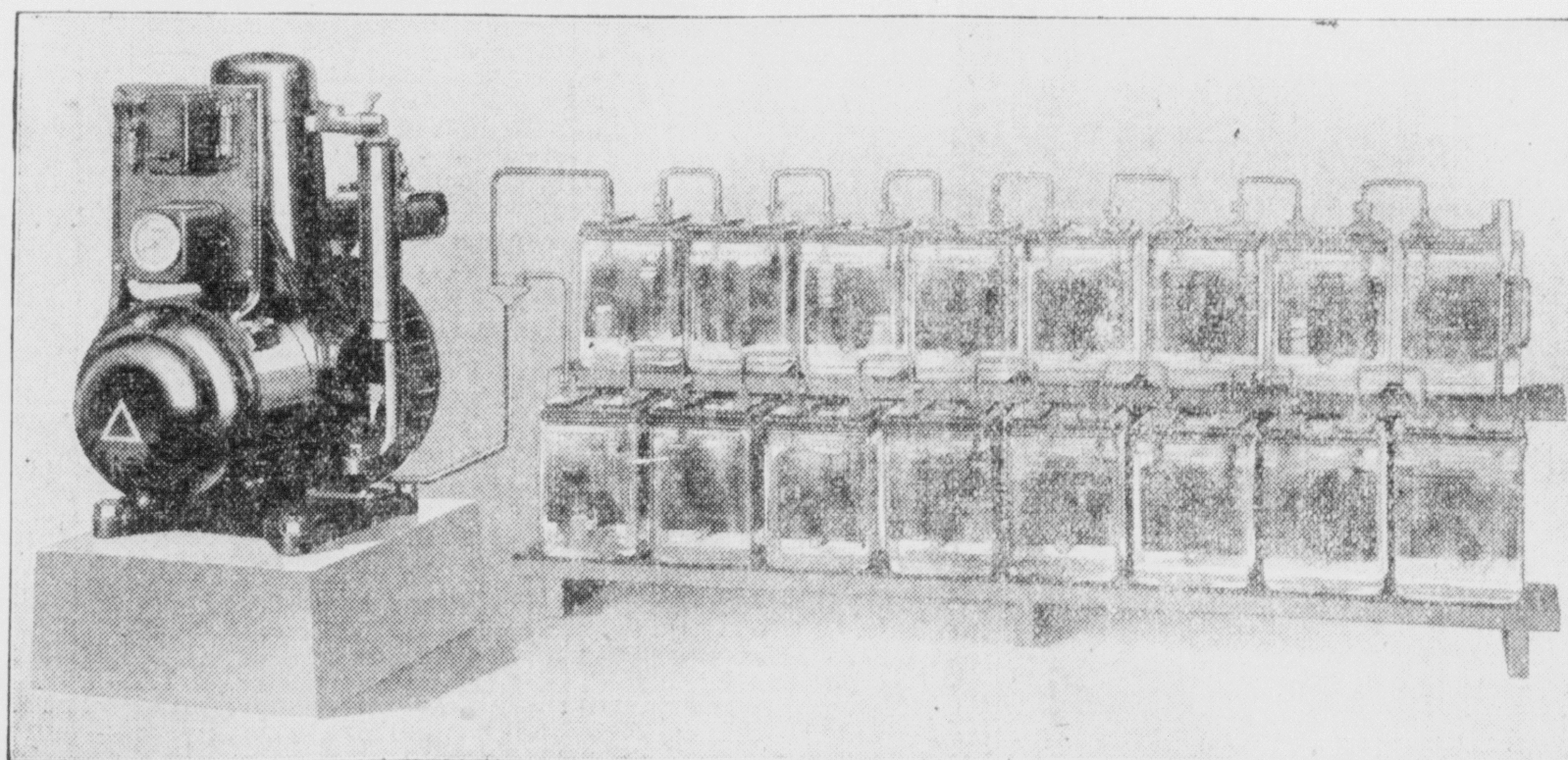
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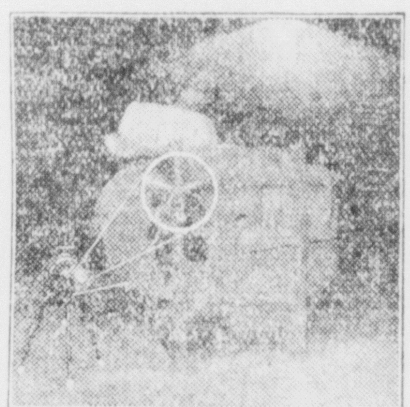
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## Not a Complete Surprise

The disclosures now being made before the Senate investigation committee by the "secret service" officials of the Department of Justice are intensely interesting.

Very little surprise is occasioned when the names of some American citizens involved in the Hun propaganda plot, are made public. Patriotic Americans have "had their eyes on some of the individuals named for a long time and have suspected that, notwithstanding their loud protestations and theatrical actions they were not just exactly true blue in their patriotism.

We must not be too hasty, however, in condemning those whom the German agents have named in their documents because the placing of the Hun brand upon them by the propagandists is not sufficient evidence of guilt. It would be an easy matter for the plotters to blacken the reputation of any citizen by making declarations in their notebooks against him but it requires something more than the Hun statement to make Americans believe evil of their fellow countrymen.

However there are a number of Americans who have been demeaning themselves in a way that has caused suspicion to attach to them.

Those individuals when their names appear in the revelations, linking them with Hun activities will likely be compelled to furnish strong proof to remove the presumption of wrong doing.

One encouraging thing is that the officials propose to pursue and brand the traitors notwithstanding peace has come and that's right.

## Keeping It Up

There are many indications that the junker factions in Germany have not abandoned hope that they may, partially at least, regain their grip.

There is enough to justify a suspicion that the announcements of famine and distress are, to a great extent the exaggeration of conditions by the war lords in the hope of regaining control or plunging the country and the people into anarchy.

Indeed the conceit of the former overlords is so tremendous that they hope and even half believe that the allied nations will consent to their restoration to power.

The former emperor, his son and those who composed the autocracy in the German army and industrial life, have proceeded on the belief, in all their long preparation for war and in the conduct of the war, that all people are as cowardly and as selfish as they are themselves, and, knowing that fear and greed are the only causes which move them to action, they feel that if the allies and the German people can be sufficiently frightened by their continued shouts of anarchy, disorder and famine that the old machine can be erected once and put in running order under the same old regime.

We may expect, so long as the former emperor and his son are permitted to run at large, frequent acts for effect such as attempted suicide and the writing of histories.

With them removed finally from the stage of action a great step toward the restoration of normal conditions will have been taken. With them active we may expect nothing but annoyance and exhibitions of dishonesty.

## Visiting Among Nations

European officials and dignitaries are to visit the United States shortly after the return of President Wilson from the peace conference, according to the news reports.

We hope these reports are based on an announced intention and that that intention is carried to fulfillment.

It will be a splendid thing when the government officials of the great democratic nations of the world encourage the custom of visiting each other.

There is no one thing that tends more to prevent unnecessary disagreements than social visits or business conferences. In fact people who visit frequently, keep in touch with each other, meet and talk things over and see into each other's eyes are most unlikely to have disagreements.

That's true in our own individual life, our private affairs and there is no reason why the rule shouldn't work just as advantageously with nations.

Now, since the world has gotten so small that no nation can live alone, when all the nations of the world are near neighbors, it is more than ever imperative that our officials keep in close touch with one another.

With the perfect understanding of close and true friendship existing, there is as little opportunity for the propagandists among the nations as there is for the neighborhood gossip and busy-body with home folks.

## POEM FOR TODAY

### THE SOLDIER SPIRIT

Keep the soldier spirit  
Though the wars depart;  
Keep the soldier spirit  
Bubbling in the heart—  
The gay lark of the battle, the fine  
spur of the fight  
The crusade of the April dream that  
fills the world with light.

Keep the soldier spirit  
For old things and for new;  
The passion of the morning lay,  
The baptism of the dew—  
The brave touch of the spirit that  
youth brings unto all—  
Our youth that helped the old world's  
arm beat down the serried wall.

Keep the soldier spirit  
The going forth with son  
To swing the sword of happiness  
Against the shields of wrong—  
The blithe blow of the fine blade that  
clears each age-worn path  
With the new day's fine adventure,  
the blood of youth's high wrath.

Keep the soldier spirit  
Though the war no longer beats;  
The fanfare of the rattling drums,  
The trumpets in the streets—  
The old glad youngness mounting as  
dreams mount stars of fire,  
The battle of the morning joy, the  
eternal dawn's desire.  
—Baltimore Sun.

## WEATHER

Washington, December 11.—Ohio: Rain or snow north, rain or colder south portion Wednesday; Thursday colder and probably fair.

West Virginia—Rain Wednesday, colder in west portion; Thursday fair, except rain or snow in the mountains colder.

Western Pennsylvania—Rain south rain or snow north portion Wednesday; Thursday colder and probably fair.

### CLIMATOLOGICAL CHART.

1:00 o'clock p. m.  
Temperature ..... 45  
Highest yesterday ..... 61  
Lowest last night ..... 44  
Moisture percentage ..... 86  
Rainfall ..... .07  
Barometer ..... 30.97  
This date 1917 lowest ..... -17.5

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## A FOOT AND A FACT



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## TUBERCULOSIS NOT A PLAGUE OF BIG CITIES

(By Associated Press)

Chicago, December 11.—Doubt that tuberculosis is a "city disease" was presented to the American Public Health Association convention here today by Dr. Burton R. Rogers of New York. He said the secretary of the Indiana State board of health had written him that out of a total population of 13,000 in Crawford county, Indiana, 2,000 had died of tuberculosis within ten years.

"Can such a record be even paralleled in the worst 'lung block' in the worst city in America?" asked the speaker. "Investigation in other states might reveal even worse conditions."

Dr. Rogers explained that Crawford county has 304 square miles and that the 13,000 residents are scattered on 1,861 farms and in 21 towns and villages; the largest urban center containing less than 1,200 inhabitants. He added:

"It is doubtful if there is a three story tenement in the county, and if every house is not at least ten feet from every other house and if every living and sleeping room has not one or more outside windows. These are certainly not city conditions."

## FUTURE OF CAMP SHERMAN IN DOUBT

The future of Camp Sherman is very much in doubt, no one knowing whether the camp will be removed in its entirety, or whether it will be one of several cantonments which probably will be used in part for the regular army.

It is expected that the camp itself will be left in tact for the next six months at least, and that sometime next spring, or later, the work of dismantling that part of the camp not to be used, will be started.

Meanwhile Chillicothe is feeling the effects of the diminishing activities at the camp, and is speedily resuming something like normal conditions.

## GIVEN EMPLOYMENT AT CAMP SHERMAN

Ray Hatfield, facing Judge Frank M. Allen on a charge of non-support Tuesday afternoon, was fined \$190 and give 90 days in the workhouse but upon agreement of the man to go to Camp Sherman and take up work under way there, so that he could contribute the amount necessary, he was released.

## YOUR PERSONAL GREETING CARDS

engraved for Christmas use should be ordered at once. Ask to see our samples. Rodecker's News Stand.

## DEAD FROM GRIPPE



EDMOND ROSTAND, one of France's foremost dramatists and poets, died recently in Paris. He had been ill from grippe. One of his most famous works was "Chantecler," which was staged both in New York and Paris in 1910. His "Cyrano de Bergerac" gained for him recognition throughout the world. Others of his plays included "L'Aiglon," the tragedy of the boy Napoleon; "La Samaritaine," "Le Bois Sacre," "La Princesse Lointaine" and "The Red Glove."

## DUG HIM OUT, ARE FINED \$25 AND—

In Justice Maley's court in Circleville, this week, Lyman Jones and Cleveland Davidson, of Williamsport were fined \$25 and the costs for digging out and killing a skunk, the law forbidding the capture of skunks in this manner.

### MITE SOCIETY

The Wesley Chapel Mite Society will meet with Mrs. J. A. Edge on South North street, Friday, December 13th at 2:30.

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## WEAK, DISCOURAGED WIFE

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## LAST CALL

We call attention of persons who are intending to purchase shares of the Miller Rubber Co., (Akron, Ohio), 8 percent cumulative second preferred stock (non-taxable in Ohio) that it still can be had at par—\$100 per share. Most of this stock has been sold, although it has been on the market only a short time.

Call and see us, phone or write us for full particulars about this stock. Remember dividends are payable quarterly—2 per cent every three months.

If you have money to invest we recommend this stock but if you want any you must act quickly, as it is likely that all will be sold before Christmas. It is worth your while to investigate this offering.

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Dr. Culp, Lecturer, Sat, Dec. 14, 7:45 P.M.

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Season Tickets, \$1.00; Children under 15 years, 75 cents; Single admission, 35 cents. Doors open 7:30.



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## News of Interest to Women

Private Ray E. Fisher arrived home from Camp Leach District of Columbia, having received his honorable discharge.

Within an hour of the young soldier's return thirty relatives and friends of the neighborhood had assembled at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Fisher, on the Anderson pike and there was joyous reunion. The serving of ice cream and cake added to the sociability of the informal affair.

The Boston Transcript containing nearly a column of description of "The Apotheosis of Education," a panel, 12 by 24 feet in size, for the McLain High School at Greenfield, Ohio, where it is to be placed as an inspiration to the youth who pass through the high school. It is a gift of E. L. McLain to his native city. It is on exhibition at the Boston Art Club for a few days before being taken to Greenfield. The panel represents a youth in his progress through the high school and the realization of his dreams in a successful life. In the picture are symbolized youth, opportunity, courage, faith, industry, thrift and what ever virtues help the pupil on his way to the glaring goal. The entire panel is a wonderful work of art and certainly bespeaks a loving interest on the part of the giver in the successful training of the high school youth.

Two weeks from today homes will be bright with holly and Christmas bells and the Christmas turkey, luscious and brown, will be contributing a big share to the Christmas feast.

Holly has its place in the legends and at one time many carols were composed in its honor.

European peasants think that a sprig of berried holly which has been used in church decorations will bring luck to the house, so when the evergreens are removed they beg for a spray. Holly used for decorating houses must on the other hand, be burned after Jan. 1, or ill-luck will follow.

In some parts of England, as in Ireland, girls seek omens from burn-

ing the Christmas decorations, and say the more noise they make and the brighter they blaze up the warmer is the affection of their lovers. In some places it is considered unlucky to burn the Christmas decorations, and they are thrown away instead.

The holly tree was dedicated to Saturn and was said to have many healing virtues.

A pretty legend is handed down about the first Christmas tree. When Ansgarius preached the "White Christ" to the Vikings of the North, the Lord sent his three messengers, Faith, Hope and Love, to help to find the first tree. They were to seek one that should be high as hope, as wide as love and that bore the sign of the Cross on every bough; so they chose the balsam-fir as it met their requirements better than any other tree in the forests.

It was usual at Roman weddings to present the bride with a wreath of holly, significant of the warmest congratulations.

In India and Persia the followers of Zoroaster the founder of fire worship, soaked pieces of holly bark in water, and throw the infusion in the faces of newly-born babies, believing this will ensure them prosperity and safety in this world.

Because of the closer drawing together of nations in the past few years and the increased geographical knowledge women are interesting themselves in the nationality of many more things than they were.

They have found out where dainty lace bearing the name of Valenciennes, which they have used for years as trimming originated; also learned that their lisle hosiery came from Lille; from letters of soldier boys coming from over seas that their Lyons velvet came from Lyons, and from personal observation that their Alpine hats were exactly like those worn by the detachment of Italian soldiers visiting Columbus a few weeks ago even to the gaudy little quills at one side, which one would not look for in soldiery.

From a native Swiss comes the pretty legend that, before the world

became so corrupt, which could well be before the advent of the Hohenzollerns from topmost portions of the Alps angel voices could be heard stinging—since the world chaos they are stilled.

The Social Science and Philanthropy department, Mrs. Ada M. Jones, Chairman, held a most interesting session Tuesday evening in the club rooms. No business of importance was transacted, but the President, Mrs. Dahl called the attention of the members to the meeting of the Federated clubs which is to be held in Columbus the 12, 13 of the month for the transaction of business and solicited the attendance of all members possible. Mrs. Omaha Persinger in a paper on "Mothers as Patriots" was up to her usual standard in thought and work. She prefaced her work by telling a little story of a household of widowed women in France and how they were willing to bravely sacrifice everything for their beloved France. Then she told of the patriotism of the mothers in our own country and the sacrifice of their son's on the altar of freedom and, how their prayers and courageous words and deeds inspired their sons to give their best for the great cause.

Mrs. Harriet Woodward gave a splendid paper on "Work in the Cantonments." She gave it a personal touch in her account of a visit to the hospital at Camp Sherman, where she was permitted to go behind the lines and supplemented it with information given by an officer from the camp. She told of the work of the dietitians and the system and efficiency of the management and gave an insight into the work which had been accorded few of the members.

Mrs. White on "Social Problems of the War," another interesting paper on a subject so vital to the future welfare of the world, handled her subject in the same enthusiastic manner characteristic of all her work. She touched upon the amalgamation of the race and further remarked, our social questions of America must be given more thought and greater effort than we have ever yet known. Questions of race, language and national life are deeply involved. She divided her subject into subheads which she assigned to other members for short talks. These topics were: "Will it be the Function of the Church to confine its efforts to cultivate the divine spirit or take over all welfare work of national social interest." "Church unity of the social influence." Should the church feel the weight of all philanthropy including the several well recognized organizations in war work. "How shall future welfare work be supported?"

The evenings work called forth much discussion, which added to its interest.

Mrs. F. C. Reveal, Mrs. S. M. Oliver, Mrs. Frank Morris and Mrs. Ernest Arbogast attended the District Convention of the Daughters of Pocahontas, which was held in Greenfield the latter part of the week.

The attendance this year was not as large as usual owing to the influenza epidemic. But this, did not prevent the meeting from being one of unusual interest. The Great Pocahontas, Mrs. Hexammer, of Canton and the Past Great Chief, Miss Johnson of Marysville, who now has charge of the Order's Rest Room for Soldiers at Chillicothe, were present, and gave fine talks.

Mrs. Morris was the representative of the home Council, Mrs. Reveal, District First Councillor; and Mrs. Oliver, District Second Scout. Mrs. Arbogast was re-elected District Keeper of the Wampun for another year.

The delegates were given a royal welcome by the committee, who met them at the station and escorted them to the hall for registration.

A visit to the beautiful McLain High School with Dr. and Mrs. Emery acting as guides; and the serving, at noon, of a bountiful three course dinner in the Red Men's Hall, were the enjoyable social events of the day.

The convention was closed in the evening by the initiating of a class of seven candidates, the Greenfield Degree Staff conferring the impressive Degree. The next convention is to be held at Coalton, Ohio.

The many Washington friends of Mrs. Frank Ressler will learn with much regret of the sudden death of her mother, Mrs. J. H. Kennebrew, of Columbus, Miss., on Thanksgiving night. Mrs. Kennebrew had apparently been in her usual health.

Mr. and Mrs. Ressler were summoned from their present home at Meridian, Miss.

Mrs. Jessie Roseboom has gone to Columbus to spend a few days with her sister.

Mr. William Wood, of Cincinnati, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Millikan, Wednesday while here to attend the funeral of Mrs. K. C. Maynard.

Miss Clara Davis goes to Columbus this evening to attend the Grand Chapter, Eastern Star of Ohio, meeting.

Private Lawrence Parker, son of Edward Parker, this city, has been honorably discharged from Camp Taylor, Louisville, Ky., and has arrived home.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rogers, of Good Hope, left Tuesday afternoon for St. Cloud, Florida, to spend the winter.

Miss Nina Dahl came down from Columbus Tuesday evening to attend the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. K. C. Maynard.

Mrs. Rosa Hughey, of Bainbridge, visited in this city Tuesday enroute to Columbus where she will spend a few days before leaving for an indefinite stay with relatives in New York City.

Mr. S. F. Page, of Springfield, and Mr. John Page, of Greenfield, have been called here by the illness of their brother, Dr. C. E. Page.

Mrs. George W. Green, of Oklahoma City, who spent the Summer with her Aunts, the Misses Skinner of S. Fayette street, left Wednesday for St. Augustine, Fla., where she joins her husband and accompanies him to Miami, Fla., to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Draise are moving from their farm on the Lewis pike to Staunton to make their home with their daughter Mrs. Robert Haines.

Miss Louise Melvin, who has been ill the past few days, is very much improved.

Mrs. J. M. McClure, of Bloomingburg, is slowly recovering from a two weeks illness. Her son, Mr. R. T. McClure and wife, of this city, have been with her the greater part of the time.

Mrs. C. A. Stafford returned Wednesday morning from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Fisher, in Sabina.

Messrs. Frank M. Blessing and Will Palmer are on a two days hunting trip on the Lewistown Reservoir.

### JOHN COLER ANSWERS THE LAST CALL

Mr. John Coler, highly respected resident of this county through a long and useful life, died Wednesday at 3:30 a. m., at his home on the Lewis pike, aged 72 years.

His death will be attended by much regret, his kindly personality and integrity making for him many friends. For a number of years he operated the Mrs. Luelian Judy farm on the Lewis pike, retiring from active farming some years ago.

For several years his health has not been good, but he has only been confined to his bed for the past ten days, death resulting from a complication of diseases.

The funeral services will be held Friday at 1:30 p. m. Burial will be made in the Bloomingburg cemetery. A wife and niece, Miss L. D. Eckle, have made the home with Mr. Coler and mourn the loss of a most considerate husband and uncle.

### RECORD LOW POINT YEAR AGO TODAY

One year ago today the mercury dropped to 17.5 degrees below zero, or 61.5 degrees colder than the coldest point reached by the thermometer up to two o'clock today.

The intense cold of a year ago was accompanied by a cutting wind, and the ground had nearly one foot of snow over it.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Lewis W. Pickering, 21, farmer, of Greene county, and Mazie Anderson, 20, Rev. Grove officiating.

### TRAIN DEPARTURES

CINCINNATI — Baltimore & Ohio Railroad—\*5:28 a. m.; 17:33 a. m.; \*3:28 p. m.; \*6:03 p. m. Pennsylvania Lines—\*9:55 a. m.; 13:55 p. m.

COLUMBUS—Baltimore & Ohio Railroad—\*4:36 a. m.; \*10:30 a. m.; 15:43 p. m.; \*10:17 p. m.

DAYTON—Baltimore & Ohio (Wellston Division)—\*7:45 a. m.; \*5:50 p. m.

CHILLICOTHE — Baltimore & Ohio (Wellston Division)—\*9:00 a. m.; \*6:25 p. m.

LANCASTER — Pennsylvania Lines—\*9:17 a. m.; 15:22 p. m.

SPRINGFIELD — D. T. & I. Railroad—\*7:30 a. m.; 11:34 p. m.

BAINBRIDGE — D. T. & I. Railroad—\*8:55 a. m.; 16:50 p. m.

\* Means that the train runs daily, Sunday included; † that the train runs

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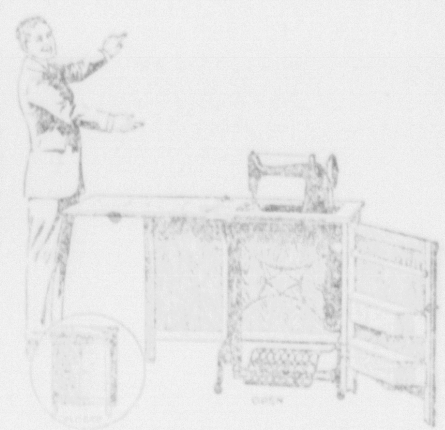
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### LARGE NUMBER ATTEND FUNERAL SERVICES

The funeral services of Floyd Crone held at the home of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Crone on the Circleville pike Tuesday afternoon, were very largely attended, friends and relatives coming from all over the county in the desire to say farewell to a popular young man, whose death is widely regretted.

Rev. Arthur P. Cherrington officiated, making an appreciative little talk, and reading the hymns.

There were many beautiful flowers, among them special designs from the K. of P.; the Freshmen Class of the High School and the neighbors.

Relatives who came from a distance were: Mrs. Robert White, of Frankfort; Mr. and Mrs. Homer Graves, Mr. and Mrs. James Zech, in Greenfield; Mr. and Mrs. John Mock, of Sabina; Mr. Clark Crone, New Lexington; Mrs. W. J. Wright, of Columbus; Mr. John Parker, Xenia; Mrs. Ida Barr and daughter, of Good Hope.

### LEAGUE OF NATIONS ENDORSED

Boston, December 11. — (Associated Press)—Resolutions endorsing the plan for a league of free nations were unanimously adopted at the annual meeting of the World's Christian Endeavor Union, held here Tuesday.

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Whipped Cream Sets.....	75c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00
Bread and Butter Plates.....	50c and 75c
Vases.....	50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$3.50
Nut Bowl.....	75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25
Spoon Trays.....	50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25
Sugar Racks.....	50c
Puff Boxes.....	50c, 75c and \$1.00
Hair Boxes.....	50c, 75c and \$1.00
Handled Trays.....	50c 75c and \$1.00
Open Salt Sets.....	\$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50
Cheese Plates.....	\$1.00
Almond Bowl.....	75c and \$1.00
Jam Jar and Ladle.....	\$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75
Condiment Sets.....	\$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75
Salad Dishes.....	\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75
Butter Tubs.....	\$1.00
Candy Bowl.....	\$1.00 and \$1.25
Sugar and Cream Sets.....	75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.25
Preserve Dishes, Honey Plates.....	\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50
7-piece Olive Sets.....	\$1.50 and \$1.75
7-piece Nut Sets.....	\$1.50 and \$1.75
7-piece Jelly Sets.....	\$2.00
7-piece Celery Sets.....	\$2.00
7-piece Cake Sets.....	\$3.50
7-piece Berry Sets.....	\$3.50
4-piece Dessert Sets.....	\$2.50

We are placing on sale today 12 dozen Fancy Salad or Open Vegetable Dishes. There are a number of different patterns in the assortment. At the special price of 59c each, they are very reasonable.

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## Markets

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New York, December 11.—American Beet Sugar 63½; American Sugar Refining 112½; Baltimore & Ohio 55½; Bethlehem Steel 67½; Chesapeake and Ohio 58½; Erie 19½; Kennicott Copper 35½; Louisville & Nashville 121½; Midvale Steel 45½; Norfolk & Western 167½; Ohio Cities Gas 43½; Republic Iron and Steel 77½; United States Steel 98½; Willys Overland 26½.

### LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Pittsburg, December 11.—Hogs—Receipts 13500; heavy mixed \$17.65; light yorkers \$15.75@16.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 600; market steady; top sheep \$9.50; top lambs \$15.00.

Calves—Receipts 50; market steady; top \$19.50.

Cleveland, O., December 11.—Cattle—Receipts 250; market steady. Calves—Receipts 200; market steady; good to choice veal calves \$18.50@19.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 1500; market steady; good to choice lambs \$14.75@15.00.

Hogs—Receipts 10000; market steady; mixed \$17.00; pigs \$16.25; roughs \$15.25; stags \$12.00.

Chicago, December 11.—Hogs—Receipts 30000; market strong; butcher \$17.60@17.85; selected light \$17.00@17.70; packing \$16.75@17.50; throwouts \$15.00@15.75; pigs—good, choice \$14.25@15.50.

Cattle—Receipts 14000; good, choice and prime \$14.90@19.50; butcher stock, cows and heifers \$6.50@13.50; calves \$17.00@17.50.

Sheep—Receipts 15000; market steady; lambs \$15.60@15.85; ewes choice and prime \$9.50@10.00.

Cincinnati, O., December 11.—Hogs—Receipts 6000; market slow; packers and butchers \$17.40.

Cattle—Receipts 600; market slow; steers \$11.00@13.25.

Calves—Steady; good \$14.50@18.00.

Sheep—Good and choice \$7.00@8.00.

Lambs—Good and choice \$13.00@13.50.

### GRAIN MARKET CLOSE

Chicago, December 11.—Corn—Feb. \$1.30½; Jan. \$1.31½. Oats—Feb. 72½; Jan. 72½. Pork—Jan. \$18.75; May \$18.00. Lard—Jan. \$26.35; May \$25.77. Ribs—Jan. \$25.75; May \$24.90.

### CLOVER SEED

Toledo, O., December 11.—Prime cash \$24.95; Dec. \$24.95; Jan. \$25.05 Feb. \$25.35; March \$25.15.

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### TIMOTHY

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Wheat ..... \$2.15  
White corn ..... \$1.35  
Yellow corn ..... \$1.30  
Oats ..... 65c  
Washington Produce Market  
Eggs, paying price ..... 58c  
Eggs, selling price ..... 62c

### ADAMS EXPRESS FINED.

Newark, N. J., December 11.—(Associated Press)—The Adams Express Company was fined \$2,200 and costs by Judge Rollstab in Federal Court yesterday on charges that it had failed to care properly for horses destined for the battlefields of France. The company pleaded guilty of 22 violations of the law which provides that horses or cattle in transit must be taken out of the cars and rested, watered and fed at least once in every 28 hours.

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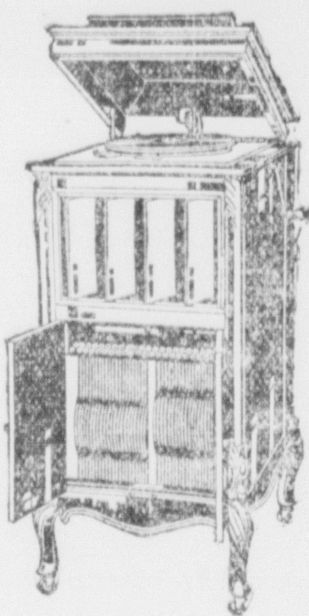
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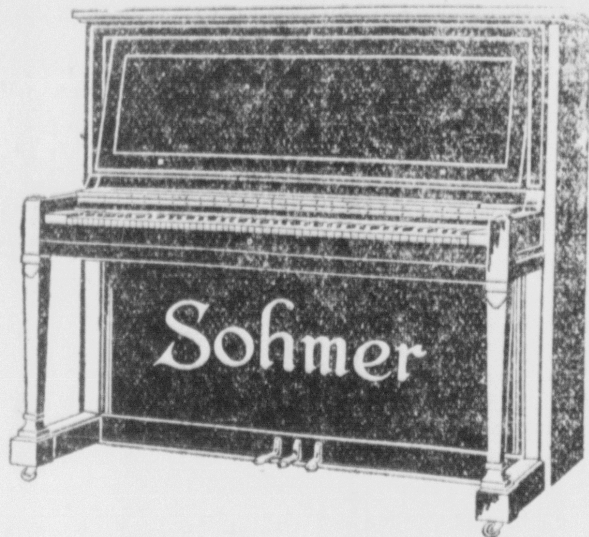


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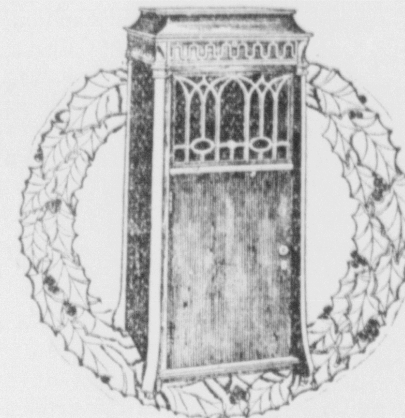
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## The Gift Supreme

See us today about that New Edison.

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## SPEEDING UP THE TREASURY WORK

(By Associated Press)  
Washington, December 11.—Machinery of the Treasury's war risk bureau has been speeded up to hasten the distribution of allotments and allowances to soldiers' and sailors' families by Christmas. It was announced today. An army of clerks is turning out checks at the rate of 140,000 daily. More than 1,150,000 are to be mailed this month.

## WILL ASK WILSON TO CHAVANAC

(By Associated Press)  
Paris, December 11.—At a special meeting of the council of the department of Haute Loire, it has been decided to invite President Wilson to visit the birthplace of Marquis De Lafayette at Chavaniac. President Poincare and Premier Clemenceau will be invited to accompany Mr. Wilson.

## FLAMES MENACE CAMP DIX, N. J.

(By Associated Press)  
Wrightstown, N. J., December 11.—Fire supposed to have been caused by an overturned oil stove this afternoon threatened Camp Dix. The flames driven by a stiff north wind spread toward the acres of camp structures. The buildings known as the Arcade joining the camp theater was dynamited in an effort to keep the fire away from camp.

## THOMPSON NAMED

(By Associated Press)  
Washington, December 11.—Huston Thompson, of Colorado, assistant Attorney General, was nominated today by President Wilson to be a member of the Federal Trade Commission.

BAN ON GERMAN RENEWED.  
Washington, December 11.—(Associated Press)—Prohibitory legislation against the teaching of the German language in the schools of Washington was re-enacted for another year Tuesday by the House in considering the District of Columbia 1920 appropriation bill.

MOTION OVERRULED  
(By Associated Press)  
Indianapolis, Ind., December 11.—Federal Judge Anderson Tuesday overruled a motion to quash an indictment charging John W. Talbot, South Bend, President of the Order of Owls and publisher of the Owl, with sending through the mails an article in his paper calculated to incite murder.

## LOCAL BOARD IS STILL VERY BUSY

The Local Board of Fayette county, which has performed its stupendous task in the draft machinery of the county equal to, if not superior to the bulk of the local boards of Ohio, is still very busy completing the voluminous records required by the government, and it will be six weeks to two months before this avalanche of detail work will be finished. The records packed and sealed and stored in a fireproof building or vault until shipped to the War Department at Washington, D. C.

Nearly every day brings added instructions for some phase of the work, and these are carefully followed by Chairman J. M. Willis and his assistants. All records connected with the work are bound up with the usual red tape of wearisome detail. Since the board has been in existence it has received 1158 regular bulletins, and several of these bulletins contained several pages of closely typewritten matter which had to be gone over, virtually memorized by Chairman Willis, and applied to the work in hand. The last bulletin to arrive contains several thousand words of instructions. Scores of telegrams have been received in addition to the host of bulletins.

The task of the local board has been ten-fold greater than the average persons would think possible.

### "FREEDOM OF SEAS"

Is Grave Problem of Peace Conference, British Official Says.

(By Associated Press)  
London, December 11.—One of the gravest problems of the peace conference will be based on what is meant by "freedom of the seas" and what what concessions Great Britain is going to make in that direction, said Sir Frederick E. Smith, Attorney-General, in a speech at Liverpool yesterday. "America has rendered brilliant service in the cause of civilization," Sir Frederick said, "and Great Britain is bound to approach the conference with a determination to concede everything possible to American sentiment and American views, having regard for national security and existence of the empire."

"Americans must remember that the seas are open to everyone in peace time. In time of war, however, one might as well talk of the freedom of the land as the freedom of the seas. The moment war arises great coercive and primeval forces assert themselves and the region of law is abandoned for the assertion of naval and military forces."

"I am not sure that Great Britain will not have to say to everyone in the peace conference, We shall be quite satisfied with the definition of freedom of the seas that will enable the British navy, in the unfortunate event of future wars, to do exactly what the British navy, aided by the American navy, has been doing for the last 18 months."

## CHICKEN PIE SUPPER

Everyone please remember!

There will be on the 14th of December a chicken pie supper at the K. of P. Hall. Plenty of eats and a welcome for all. Will begin serving supper at 4:20 o'clock. Price 45 cents.

## NOTICE

Get your hogs killed at Isaac Willes on Elm street. We are prepared to come and get your hogs and deliver your meat. Call and have a talk with us. Curl and East Automatic 6984. 291 13

## NOTICE

The Wesley Chapel Mite Society will meet with Mrs. J. A. Edge, of S. North street, Friday p. m. December 13th at 2:30.

### SECRETARY

### GROUP MEETING

The Millwood Group Meeting will meet at Mrs. Harry Flee's on Van Dam Avenue, Thursday afternoon at 2:30. 291 12

FRESH COUNTRY PORK SAUSAGE AND LARD WILL BE DELIVERED FRIDAY AND SATURDAY. CALL AUTOMATIC 12.692. 291 13

### DANCE POSTPONED

The University Club dance, which was to have been given Friday night at the K. of P. Castle has been postponed until New Year's eve, Tuesday December the thirty-first.

Parker's Orchestra has been engaged and this popular music is in itself sufficient to draw a large attendance of both town and out of town young people.

Friends in this city are regretting to learn of the death of Mr. Frank C. Smith of Columbus on last Friday. Mr. Smith frequently visited Mr. T. F. Gardner and family here.

### MOONEY STRIKE IN TOLEDO

(By Associated Press)  
Toledo, O., December 11.—Protesting against the life imprisonment sentence of Thomas Mooney, of San Francisco, 190 employees of the Libby Glass Company went on strike Tuesday.

### CUBAN RAIL STRIKE ENDS

(By Associated Press)  
Havana, December 11.—An official message, received Tuesday by the Secretary of Gobernacion, from Camaguey, announces the signing of an agreement by both sides of the Cuban railway strike. The first train already has departed from Camaguey for Santiago.

### MISS WILSON IN BREST

(By Associated Press)  
Brest, December 11.—Miss Margaret Wilson, daughter of President Wilson arrived in Brest Tuesday to meet the presidential party. She will accompany the President to Paris.

### NOBLE PRIZE TO BE OMITTED

(By Associated Press)  
Christiania, Norway, December 11.—The Nobel Committee has resolved not to award a Nobel peace prize in 1918.

## AERIAL MAIL SERVICE PLANS

(By Associated Press)

St. Louis, Mo., December 11.—Aerial mail service between Chicago, St. Louis and the Southwest will be started within a few weeks, according to an announcement by Joseph W. Folk, special counsel for the Chamber of Commerce, who is in Washington.

Folk's telegram quoted advices from Postmaster General Burleson. He said the Postmaster General has under consideration a plan to make St. Louis the central repair point for planes operating out of St. Louis.

The initial flight, according to Mr. Folk, will be made between Chicago and St. Louis. Then a route will be established between St. Louis and Dallas, Texas, and other points in the Southwest.

### BOY HUNTER WOUNDED

Lancaster, O., December 11.—(Associated Press)—Morris Williams, 12 years old, only son of David Williams, 431 North Maple street, was seriously wounded late Tuesday afternoon, while hunting rabbits near this city. His companion, Raymond Robbitt, 15 years old, was behind him when the accidental discharge of his rifle caused a 22-caliber bullet to lodge in William's back. 291 15

### SHIPYARD STRIKE ENDS.

Baltimore, Md., December 11.—(Associated Press)—The 8,000 men who went on strike at 10 o'clock yesterday morning at the Bethlehem Shipbuilding Corporation's plant at Sparrow's Points, returned to work Tuesday afternoon, the nonunion employee, who was the cause of the walkout, having been discharged.

### NOMINATED BY WIRELESS.

Washington, December 11.—(Associated Press)—The first nomination sent to the Senate by President Wilson by wireless was filed at noon Tuesday. It was that of Richard Lawson, of Detroit, to be Collector of Customs for District No. 38, with headquarters at Detroit.

### CLASSIFIEDS

FOR SALE—Two lady's coats, good condition. A bargain. Mrs. Shisler, Bell 183-W. 291 15

FOR SALE—Hay, straw and fodder; straw at 35c and 45c per bale; fodder 6c per bundle. Have team to do moving or hauling, 336 Gregg St. 291 15

WANTED—Popcorn. See N. A. Free, Popcorn Wagon, Gossard's corner. 291 15

FOR SALE—One auto tool box, canizers tube and tire, one gas oven, canizers tube and time, one gas oven, 336 Gregg street. 291 16

FOR SALE—Brown reed doll buggy, brown reed nursery chair. Call 8641. 291 15

FOR SALE—Two Fords, one Chevrolet, one Greenfield Patterson, all 5 passenger touring cars in A1 condition, good tires, auto trailers and Ford wheels 30x3½. Bargains. Erk L. Parrett, Good Hope, call Bell phone 218 R. 3. 291 16

## \$25 Reward

for any information leading to recovery of this hound. Big black and tan, long ears; about 2 inches white on tip of tail; small black and white spots on neck and front feet. Was stolen Sunday night, Dec. 8th. Communicate with either John Browning, Auto. 5221, or Glen Bush, Auto. 12665.

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## FUNERAL SERVICES MRS. L. D. EXLINE

One of the largest funerals ever held in the Bloomingburg vicinity was that of Mrs. L. D. Exline, at the M. E. Church of that city, Sunday afternoon. The outpouring of the entire community and of the orders with which Mrs. Exline had been connected, for her burial services were within itself the highest testimonial to the splendid woman whose taking away is so greatly deplored.

The services were beautifully impressive, conducted by Rev. Jess C. Laughlin.

The Eastern Star attended in a body and held their tender ritual service. The hymns were effectively sung by Mrs. Mahlon Holland, Miss Ethel Edwards, Mr. Raymond Scott, of Bloomingburg, and Mr. Mart G. Morris. Mrs. Mary Allemau accompanied.

The pall bearers were chosen most fittingly from the Pythian Sisters, of which order Mrs. Exline had been a most valued member and in which she had held office ever since her initiation, being specially honored with two terms as Past Worthy Matron. She had represented with the Pythian Sisters and Eastern Star at Grand Lodge meetings.

Those acting as pall bearers were Mesdames Wm. Huffman, Thurman Sheley, David Roebuck, Bell Elliott, Misses Dorothy Myers and Florence Purcell.

The burial was made in the Bloomingburg cemetery.

Seldom has there been such a wealth of floral remembrances, in superb arrangement among the special designs were those from the Eastern Star, Pythian Sisters, Maconic Order, K. of P., Stockshippers, Bloomingburg Grain Co., O. R. T. Order of Operators, O. R. T. Order of this Division and Employees of Washington C. H. O. R. T. Order, B. & O. Dispatcher at Chillicothe, besides a wealth of flowers from relatives and friends around Bloomingburg and designs from Mt. Sterling, Columbus, Cincinnati, Dayton, Logansport, Ind., and New Albany, Ind.

Those from out of town attending the services were Mrs. Emma Exline, Mr. and Mrs. C. Bentley, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McWilliams, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Exline of Dayton, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Dalby, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Burfield of Columbus, Mr. W. W. Woodward of Chillicothe, Mr. M. A. Lewis of Cincinnati, Mrs. J. F. Leach and son of Grove City, Mr. and Mrs. David Leach, Mrs. Longberry, Mr. Howard Junk, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Leach, Mr. and Mrs. John Albright of Mt. Sterling.

### MEMOIR

Lora Leach was one of three children, and the only daughter, born to J. F. and Susan B. Leach. At the time of her birth, July 9, 1882, her family resided about three miles east of Mt. Sterling in Pickaway county.

When she was nine years of age her family moved to Cook Station, Ohio, where she spent the greater part of her youth and young womanhood. It was during this time that she became acquainted with her future husband, Mr. L. D. Exline, who was agent for the B. & O. at Cook Station. Their friendship soon ripened into love and on August 28, 1901, they were happily united in marriage at Mt. Sterling, Ohio, by the Reverend C. M. Hagans of the Christian Church. They immediately went

to Cook Station where they had the house which was to be their future home fully furnished and equipped. About a year later, August 8, 1902, they moved to Madison Mills where Mr. Exline had been appointed agent and about a year and a half after this March 9, 1904, they moved to Bloomingburg where they have since resided.

During these years of married life their early love grew into that depth and maturity which unites two lives and makes them truly one. Each was tenderly solicitous for the welfare and happiness of the other, and they counted no sacrifice too great to make for each other. Sunshine and shadow came into their lives. It was in the first years of their married life that in fond anticipation of the advent of a little son, the mother with her own hands fashioned the dainty garments and together they made every preparation for the reception of the child of their dreams, but when the fateful day arrived the mother went down into the valley of the shadow—almost to the shadow of death, and little Hugh Fairchild, for so the loving mother had named him, tarried but a few days and then the guardian angels took him. It was then that the sunshine of happy anticipation gave way to the shadow of disappointment, but the mother never forgot the little babe that was hers for a time, and who can doubt that one of the greatest joys of life that now is hers will be in the happy companionship of little Hugh Fairchild. Again the shadow of suffering came into the life of this happy couple when about 7 years ago the life of Mrs. Exline was threatened with pernicious anaemia and for several months she lingered in a very serious condition, but finally with the best of medical attention and the constant care of a trained nurse together with the loving attention of her husband she won the battle for life and although a constant sufferer from this dread disease she did not let it mar the happiness of her home life. Her friends were always sure of a cheerful welcome when they came to her home. Her husband after the toll of a long day was always sure of a loving greeting. Indeed, she was always kind and thoughtful of others and sought to bring as much sunshine into their lives as possible.

Mrs. Exline was a woman of fine character and rare ability. During her residence in Bloomingburg she won for herself a large place in the social and community life of the village. Her neighbors found her ever ready to lend a helping hand in time of need. Her friends found her a friend in whom they could safely confide.

She was an honored member of the Eastern Star and also of the Pythian Sisters and had filled all the offices in both lodges. She was an enthusiastic and tireless worker in both orders and she will be greatly missed by them.

When but a child she united with the Methodist Episcopal Church at Mt. Sterling and later transferred her membership to the Methodist Episcopal Church of Bloomingburg. She was an active member of the various societies of the church and only a few nights ago when the Ladies' Aid held their annual meeting was present and engaged in the festivities of the evening. On this occasion she wore a new dress and in reply to the complimentary remarks of some of the ladies, jestingly remarked that she thought she might as well put it on for she might die and never have the opportunity to wear it again. Little did any of her friends think at that time that the jest would come true, but that was probably the only occasion on which she wore the dress in public.

During the past seven years she has been constantly afflicted with anaemia, but her energetic spirit kept her going when one of less determination would have given up in despair. However, within the last year she seemed to have a premonition that her life here was nearing a close. Remarks dropped to friends sometimes in jest and sometimes in a more serious mood, led them to feel that she knew that the end was drawing near. A short time ago in conversation with her husband she said that she felt that she would not live through the winter. Notwithstanding this, she was pleasant and happy and tried to make others happy. At no time did she show any fear of death and when the end came as a result of a brief but severe attack of bronchial pneumonia she entered the valley of the shadow with confidence, believing that He who had been her guide in life would be with her in the shadow of death and bring her safely to the Fatherland. Thus on the afternoon of Thursday, December 5, 1918, surrounded by her loved ones, she peacefully passed on to the life beyond, having sojourned here for a period of thirty-six years, four months and twenty-four days.

She leaves to cherish her memory here, her faithful husband, her father who lives at Grove City, Ohio, two brothers—Harrison B. Leach of Day-

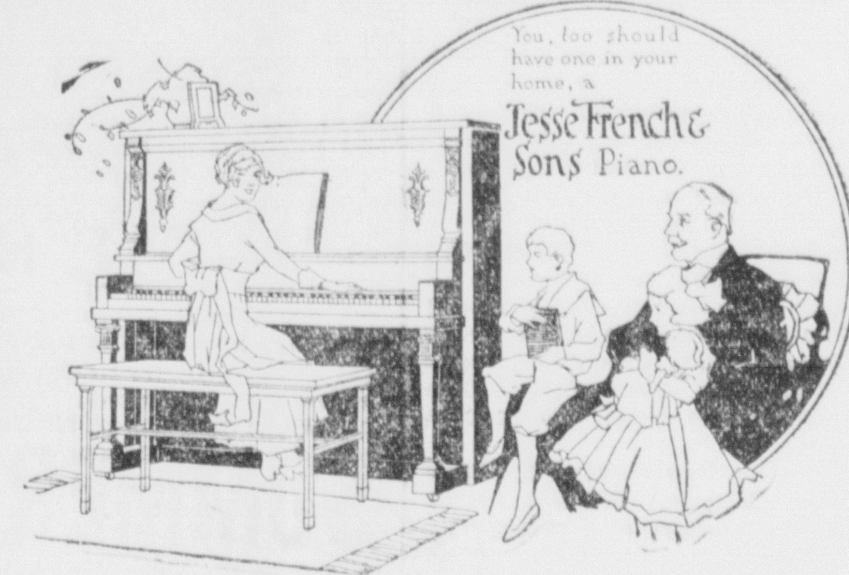
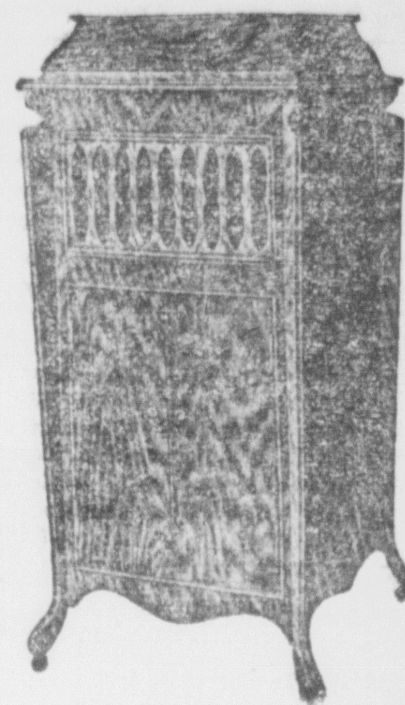


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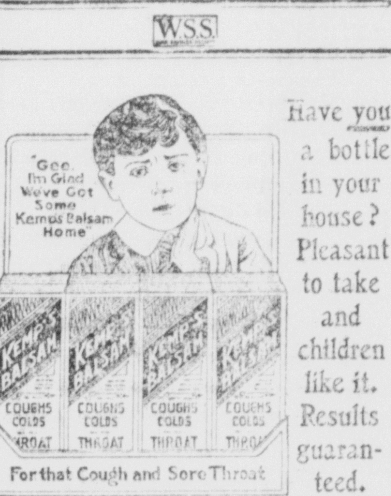
LIEUTENANT AVERY

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Friday, Dec. 13, 1918

commencing at 10 a. m., the following described property:

### 11—Head of Horses—11

One team work mares, wt. 1650, 12 years old; 1 team grey geldings, wt. 1800, 3 years old; 1 team bay geldings, wt. 1750, 3 and 4 years old; 1 grey gelding, wt. 1800, 8 yrs. old; 1 colt, 3 yrs. old, wt. 1400; 1 sorrel colt, 3 yrs. old, wt. 1450; 1 bay colt, 2 years old, wt. 1200; 1 bay driving colt, 3 yrs. old, wt. 1100, well broken.

### 8—Head of Cattle—8

Two 2-year-old heifers, giving milk; 3 yearling heifers, fresh in May; 2 spring steer calves; 1 yearling Shorthorn bull.

### Sheep and Hogs

One Poland China male hog; 21 Duroc Jersey Brood Sows, 14 will farrow in February—7 will farrow in March; 49 small pigs; 12 Shropshire ewes; 1 Shropshire Ram.

### Farm Implements

One feed wagon and ladders; 2 truck wagons with ladders and hog racks; 1 two horse express wagon; 1 McCormick binder, 8-ft. cut, in good repair; 3 sulky plows; 2 Dodds, 1 Little Dutchman; 1 riding J. I. C. cultivator; 1 Janesville riding cultivator; 1 Little Joker Walking cultivator; 1 3-horse Oliver breaking plow; 1 2-horse Collins breaking plow; 3 sets tug work harness complete; 3 sleds, good as new; 1 Mallico steel range, good condition; 2 coal heating stoves, 1 round oak, 1 hot blast; and other articles too numerous to mention. TERMS MADE KNOWN ON DAY OF SALE. NO POSTPONEMENT—SALE POSITIVELY HELD RAIN OR SHINE. Ladies of Maple Grove Church will furnish refreshments.

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FOR SALE—Eight pieces of good residence or rent property; prices reasonable. Call A. L. Sanders, Automatic 6731. 283 tf

FOR SALE—Ford touring car good tires, spot light, tool box, new paint, leather upholstery, engine in fine condition. See John Combs at Ortman Motor Co. Paint Shop. 282 tf

FOR SALE—One used Ford tire, Goodyear 30x3½ nonskid with inner tube for same, price \$4.50. Several 34x4 heavy inner tubes at \$2.00 each. One Ford touring car, top complete, with side curtains. Call H. R. Rodecker. 281tf

FOR SALE—Plymouth Rock Cockerels. Call Bell phone 113-W2. A. M. Langdon. 281tf

FOR SALE—Duroc gilts, registered and immuned. Sired by Orion Boy 3rd 1st prize winner at Ohio State Fair 1918. Wayne Superba, weight 850 lbs and Mortgage Lifter. Call Auto. 12248, Elmer T. Huchison, Washington C. H., O. R. 6. 278 tf

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock Cockerels. Call Clark Rodgers Automatic 4 on 121 Bloomingburg. 278 tf

FOR SALE—Good used inner tubes 34x4 size or will exchange for 30x3½ size to fit Ford tires. H. R. Rodecker. 289 tf

FOR SALE—Ford Touring Car top complete with side curtains. Good condition and cheap for cash, call H. R. Rodecker, Automatic 3931 or Bell 702-R. 289 tf

FOR SALE—Spotted pony, 2 years old next spring. Genuine Shetland and Welch stock. Is sound and has a good disposition. Will make a nice pet for children. If bought now he can be left in the country to winter. Call H. R. Rodecker. 289 tf

FOR SALE—Shorthorn cow, with calf three weeks old. O. L. Smith, Automatic 12426. 289 tf

FOR SALE—Bull Orphington Cockerels. Call automatic 12644. 289t12

FOR SALE—Eggs bring 5c each. Why not feed our highly endorsed egg producer and make your hens lay. 50c. It pays big. Charles Dalbey. 272 t26

FOR SALE—Ward 12 volt battery in good condition and just recharged. Can be seen at Thornhill's Battery Shop. W. B. Lansing. 270 tf

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We have on hand at all times good used cars

Dodge, Ford, Oakland, Nash and other standard makes.

These cars are ready to go out, and give service.

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FOR SALE—Duroc boars and sows, immuned and registered. A. B. Clifton, automatic 12724. 270tf

FOR SALE—One Firestone roadster, paint like new; five wire wheels; good tires; guaranteed in perfect shape. Will sell for cash or on time. Dr. Finley, Bloomingburg, Citizens phone 31. 254 tf

For Sale—Good milk cows and carload of good heifers. Otto Blackmore, both phones. 230 tf

FOR SALE—Mush, 10c per package; also home made pies. Delivered. Call Bell phone 233. Wm. Hooker. 209 tf

## WANTED

WANTED—Mature woman of business ability to take charge of established business. Phone, local address and references required. Address "H" care Herald. 289 t3

WANTED—To buy family horse. D. C. McAllister, Automatic 3891. 287 tf

WANTED—Middle aged man and woman to do chore work, such as milking, tending to chickens, horses, at the barn and looking after all the other stock on the farm. Lewis Moore, Washington C. H., Bell phone 207 R. 4, Automatic 12422. 286 tf

WANTED—Repair work. I am prepared to do stove and all kinds of repair work. J. W. Leath, Bell phone 406-W. 257 tf

WANTED—Man to take good work team and use them for their keep. Apply to H. R. Rodecker. 289 tf

WANTED—Refined educated woman to demonstrate. Permanent. Reference required. Give local address full name and telephone number. Address "F. E." care Herald. 289 t3

## THE FORD MAN

The Ford Car and the Ford Man.

Ford Delivery Closed Top; Strom-

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Office Phone: 5961 Automatic; 52Y Bell. Residence, 12383 Automatic.

Being an expert pump and repair man, I am equipped to give you prompt service. Reasonable charges. Wind pumps, water tank mending, gasoline engine work. Can furnish new pump. Oliver Weller, automatic 12718. 267t26

MONEY TO LOAN—On live stock, farm implements, or automobiles \$25.00 to \$300.00 at legal rates. We are the only company licensed to lend money on chattles in Fayette county. If you need money call and see Capitol Loan Company, Passmore Bldg., over Gossard's Optical Store Agent in office Tuesday of each week. 132 t

MONEY TO LOAN—On live stock chattles and second mortgages. Notes bought, John Harbin, Jr., Allen Building, Xenia, Ohio. 5-1-19

## LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Sometime ago child's fur scarf, tan with black stripes. Finder call automatic 5141; Bell 44. Reward. 288 tf

LOST—Brown overcoat belt. Finder call Citizen phone, Bloomingburg 1 and 3 on 90. 289 tf

## ROLL OF HONOR

In today's list of casualties 176 are Ohioans, and the total casualties are 3151.

The list is divided with 411 killed in action, 148 died of disease, 138 wounded severely, 517 wounded degree undetermined, 458 wounded slightly and 233 missing in action.

The Ohio boys are:

## Morning List

Killed in action—Lt. Eugene Scanlon, St. Martin; Bugler Victor J. Matevi, Wainwright; Private John P. Bauer, Cincinnati; Antoni Krawczy; Dayton; James Charles Watkins, o Youngstown; Elmer Boege, Cleveland; Charles D. Cragle, of Cleveland.

Died of disease—Nurse Ella Maescher, Cincinnati; Sergeant Lew W. Miller, Dunkirk; Cook Howard Bartholomew, Ravenna; Private Wilbert E. Miller, Mansfield; Albert F. Slett Sandusky; James W. Dall, Fostoria; George E. Cruise, Dayton.

Wounded severely—Sergeant Mat the Sydlourki, Akron; Bryan Hamilton, Portsmouth; Rudolph J. Moser, Toledo; Corporals Thomas Burke, o North Lawrence; Orrin Keeper, o Cleveland; John A. Vasek, Bedford; Wagoner Homer Crumrine, Urbana; Musician Chas. Dickinson, Mt. Vernon; Privates Charles C. Frey, St. Marys; Ray C. Starkey, Van Wert; Llewellyn Barlow, Welloughby; Demmie Blanco, Youngstown; George O. Borchert, Toledo; Park Oscar Johnson, Akron; Geo. J. Kersting, Cincinnati; Leroy Beniller, Crestline; Clarence S. Connor, Akron; Paul W. Dick, Shelby; Frank J. Blazek, Cleveland; Geo. M. Boyer, Greenfield; Emory Burriss, Haydenville; Joseph Stanonovich, Cleveland; Morris A. Hasen, Cleveland; Edward C. Kaetz, Bowling Green; John V. Keller, Toledo; Anthony F. Maier, Fremont; Leroy Ross, Lyndon; Harry Sitron Youngstown; Wm. M. Hicks, Alger; David O. Jones, Urichville; Enos N. Bonnell, Toledo.

Wounded degree undetermined—Privates Ith' Isham, Aurora; Antonio Lasala, Akron; Henry McWhorter, o Derby; Thomas J. Reisley, Fremont; Louis J. Street, Lancaster; Alden Williams, Middletown; Anton Zolnowski, Cleveland.

Casualty List, Galley Two  
 Wounded slightly—Sergeant John Heckert, Barborton; Colonel Mechlin, Winchester; Hallick P. Pifer, of Rock Ford; Corporal Albert G. Starkey, Salineville; Leo Cytlik, Cleveland; Harold McMichael, Mendon; Oakley E. Price, Bellaire.

Missing in action—Corporal Walter S. Wireck, DeLance; Privates Edward A. Laskouzi, Newburg; Russel G. McConville, Cleveland; John F. Matuszewski, Cleveland; Theodore N. Michelbrink, Cleveland; Charles W. Pierce, Columbus; Austin Schuler, of West Brookfield; Robert Stuber, of Cleveland; William Bierhorst, Cincinnati; Wm. D. Coppersmith, Rockford; William Griffin, Cleveland; Edward Krook, McDuffey; Martin S. Glenn, of Lockland; Alonzo E. Willis, of Rockcamp.

## Marines

Prisoners in Germany, previously reported missing—Privates Felix P. Murphy, Cleveland.

In hospital, previously reported missing—Pvt. Dale Carpenter, Swanton.

## F. &amp; A. M.

Stated Communication Fayette Lodge No. 107, F. & A. M., Washington C. H., Ohio, Wednesday, December 11, 1918, 7:00 p. m. Work.

## SECRETARY.

## W. R. C. MEETING

W. R. C. will meet Thursday afternoon at their regular session at two o'clock for inspection.

There will be drill Wednesday evening at seven o'clock.

## ARMY TRUCKS TO BE USED IN MAIL SERVICE IN OHIO

Route Through This City Now Paying \$200 Each Month and Extensions Are Planned.

Another Loop Around Columbus May Include This City.

An important conference was held in Columbus, Tuesday, for the purpose of making plans for extending the mail truck service in Ohio so as to utilize the motor trucks made for use in the great war, and as a result of the meeting plans for a network of mail truck routes were formulated one to include this city in a loop about Columbus.

The entire plan is to bring the producer and consumer into closer touch and provide a market so that country produce may be marketed direct to the consumer, and so that goods from the store and factory may be placed directly in the hands of the purchaser.

Incidentally it developed that Columbus to Cincinnati mail route, placed in operation a few months ago, is netting a profit of \$200 per month, while the line from Columbus to Cambridge is making a profit of \$500 per month.

"Think what these can be developed into by extensions and feeders into the milk, butter, cheese and egg producing communities" stated James I. Blakslee, Fourth Assistant Postmaster General, who presided at the conference in Columbus. The Good Roads Federation had representatives at the meeting, and the program of the federation is expected to be along routes to be utilized for mail truck service throughout the state.

It is expected that nearly all the motor truck equipment, which the war department will not be able to use, will be taken over by the post-office department as rapidly as desirable parcel post routes can be mapped out. The idea is to introduce a direct communication between producer and consumer, merchant and patron, over available highway, not directly parallel to good existing rail or water transportation lines.

Sixty tentative routes for Ohio were discussed. Blakslee said it is proposed to have two main lines running east and west, one through the north part of the state, touching Cleveland and Toledo, and the other from Pittsburg through Columbus to Cincinnati and thence to Indianapolis.

Connecting the two trunk lines radiating from other principle cities and extending into all sections of the state, will be so-called feeder routes. The Pittsburg to Cincinnati route in large part will be over the course of the two routes now in operation out of Columbus, established by Postmaster Kinnear between Columbus and Cambridge and between Columbus and Cincinnati via this city.

LOST—Flat bill book at cab entrance to the Union Depot, Washington. Finder leave at Herald office. 291t5

## FALL IS FATAL

Mrs. Manville Harris, aged 45 years formerly of Sedalia, Ohio, where her husband conducted a store, was so badly injured in a fall from a veranda at her home in New Vienna, that death resulted.

## DEATHS

## TWAY

Mrs. Manford Tway of Mt. Sterling, passed away Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ata Wilson, in that place. Two sons and one daughter survive. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon, burial being made in Pleasant cemetery, Madison county.

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## PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will offer at Public Sale at his residence on the O. B. Savage farm at Centerville, 6 miles south of Sabina, on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1918

Beginning at 9 o'clock a. m., the following property:

## Twenty Head of Horses.

Consisting of four fine teams, several brood mares, all grade imported Percherons, the imported Percheron Stallion, Jury, and several general purpose horses. These horses have been raised and used on the farm and are as good as you will find in any sale this year.

## 28 Head of Cattle

Seven 2-year-old steers; 5 2-year-old heifers; 8 cows; 7 calves; all grade Shorthorns; 1 Shorthorn bull.

## 187 Head of Sheep.

180 breeding ewes; 7 Shropshire bucks.

## 131 Head of Hogs

30 tried brood sows; 60 feeding hogs; 40 fall pigs; 1 Poland China male hog.

## Farm Implements

SOME HAY IN MOW.

4 wagons; 2 McCormick binders; tedder; 2 gang plows; 2 stags; sulky plow; corn harvester; 5 cultivators; 2 double cutters; 10-ft. drag harrow; manure spreader; wheat drill; stalk cutter, etc; 14 sets work harness; set wagon harness; collars, bridles, etc., and other articles comprising a complete outfit.

TERMS MADE KNOWN ON DAY OF SALE. COL. SWEPSTON & SON, Auctioneers.

ELIJAH VAN PELT

## Public Sale!

Having rented my farm, situated seven miles southeast of Washington C. H., on the Chillicothe pike, near McLean's Station, I the undersigned, will sell at Public Auction the following property to the highest bidder, on

Friday, Dec. 13, 1918

Beginning at 10 o'clock sharp.

## 9—Head Horses—9

One black gelding, 8 years old, weight 1600; one roan team 7 and 9 years old, weight 1400; one brown gelding, 9 years old, weight 1600; one gray mare, 10 years old, weight about 1200; one bay mare, 12 years old, weight about 1200; one brown gelding, 3 years old, weight 1200; one dark gray colt, 2 years old, weight 1100; one black driving horse, 8 years old, weight 1100.

## 11—Head of Cattle—11

Five milk cows, mostly Jersey; one Shorthorn bull, 2 years old; five calves.

## 57—Head of Hogs—57

Fifteen brood sows, with pigs by side; one male hog; all above hogs have been immuned.

## Farming Implements.

Three wagons with box beds and two gravel beds, three pairs platform ladders, two of which have hog racks; one Deering binder, two binder covers, one grain drill, one corn planter, one double disc harrow, one single disc harrow, five breaking plows, five cultivators, one spike harrow, one double shovel plow, one single shovel plow, one mowing machine, one sulky rake, one hay tedder, one steel roller, one drag, one carriage, one storm buggy, almost new; one spring wagon, one buggy pole, four sets double work harness, tug and chain; 2 sets buggy harness; 1 set double buggy harness; leather halters, three feed sleds, some sled soles, several hog boxes, two fountain hog tanks, some hog troughs, one tank heater, one feed cooker, one Fairbanks cattle scales, one corn jobber, one wind mill, one feed grinder, one corn sheller, one grindstone, some double trees and single trees, pitch forks, one hay knife, one vice, some grain sacks, one fruit tree sprayer, one riding saddle and bridle, one Primus cream separator.

## Automobile, Hay, Straw, Corn.

Oakland 5-passenger Light Six, in first-class running order—will give the best of service; lot of hay in mow, also in rick, and some straw in rick; 350 shocks of corn, more or less; some corn in crib, 30 acres of stalk and some corn on stalk.

TERMS WILL BE MADE KNOWN ON DAY OF SALE.

## F. L. COUNTS

COL. R. T. SCOTT, Auctioneer.

ORRIS HEGLER, Clerk.

Lunch will be served on grounds.

## BRINGING UP FATHER

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